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Arrivals.

June 5, MINNA, Brem. bg., 200, Möller, Camboge, May 24th, 3,000 piculs Rice, and 1,000 piculs Pepper.—BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.

June 6, SY. MAGNUS, Brem. bk., 210, Steiko Saigon, May 31st, 8,500 piculs Rice.—BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.

June 6, RESOLUTION, Siam. sh., 816, James McKay, Bangkok, May 24th, General.—CHINESE.

June 6, OSCAR VIDAL, from Whampoa.

June 6, H.C.M.S. PATING, from do.

June 6, H.F.M.S. CAMOENS, from Cruise.

June 6, ELLINA, Dut. bk., 350, [illegible], Singapore, May 28th, General.—BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.

June 6, PARSEE, Amer. 450, Soul, Saigon, 1st, June, Rice, Cotton, and Fish.—BOSMAN & Co.

June 7, U. S. S. MONOCACY,

Departures.

June 6, BELLE OF SOUTHSEA, for Foochow.

June 6, FROMM, for Swatow.

June 6, FRISCH, for Whampoa.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, JUNE 6TH.

Patina, str., for Manila.

Buena Vista, for Puget Sound.

St. Paul, for Bangkok.

Sword Fish, for do.

Anne Porter, for Saigon.

Passengers.

Per *Resolution*, from Bangkok,—62 Chinese.

Per *Bilinda*, from Singapore,—40 Chinese.

Reports.

The Siamese ship *Resolution*, from Bangkok, May 24, reports having experienced Westerly winds and fine weather in the Gulf of Siam, and was only four days to Pulo Condore. Up the China Sea a fresh S.W. monsoon as far as the Macclesfield Bank with a current of 42 miles per twenty-four hours, variable wind with much rain, thunder and lightning during the rest of the passage.

Auction Sales To-day.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Goods and Porter.

Intimations.

ALL Persons having Claims against the Estate of the late GEORGE WILKINS, and all Persons indebted to the same, are requested to communicate with the Undersigned on or before the 1st of October next.

S. SPEECHLY.

tf 1121 Hongkong, 10th May, 1867.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & H. Tennent, Glasgow, and Messrs. David Corsar & Sons, Arbroath.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG, & Co.

tf 419 Hongkong, January, 1867.

MR. J. O. MARRIOTT, late of Dr. HUNT'S (Veterinary Surgeon, London,) begs most respectfully to inform the Gentry of Hongkong that he has arrived, and solicits the patronage of the residents.

HORSES TREATED, VALUED, and EXAMINED either at his own Residence (Stag Hotel,) or elsewhere.

TERMS MODERATE.

MARRIOTT'S celebrated URINAL BALLS for Horses always on hand.

1m 1283 Hongkong, 30th May, 1867.

THE Undersigned having been appointed by the majority of the Creditors of MACPHAIL & Co., of Formosa, to realize and liquidate the Estate of that Firm, hereby gives notice that all Claims against the said Estate must be proved and sent in to him at Takao, on or before the 15th July, 1867, and all Debtors to the Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

ALLAN W. BAIN.

1m 1283 Takao, Formosa, 16th May, 1867. [M30

FOR SALE.

FAWCETT & Co. having landed their NEW GOODS ex *Dora*, *Euridian*, *Palestine*, *Forest*, and other late arrivals, are prepared to supply Messes and Private Families on the most reasonable terms; quality of goods guaranteed and breakage made good.

☞ Having always on hand

BASS'S PALE ALE, in Pints and Quarts.

ALLSOPP'S, in Pints and Quarts.

GUINESS'S DUBLIN STOUT, in Pints and Quarts.

Hennessy's Pale, Brandy; Swan Board's Old Tom, Ginger Brandy, Prime Whisky, Bitters, Rum, Champagne in Pints and Quarts, Kilderkins Ale, Kilderkins Porter; Hams, Cheese, Butter, in small packages; Loaf and Crushed Sugar, Coffee, Cigars, &c., and a large variety of Oilman's and other Stores.

N.B.—An inspection is respectfully solicited.

1m 1345 Hongkong, 6th June, 1867.

MRS. BONNETT.

MILLINERY AND DRESSMAKING, IN THE NEWEST FASHION.

SHOW ROOM FOR LADIES

No. 1, Wyndham Street.

[1y 212 HONGKONG. [J22

NOW READY.

THE CHINESE CLASSICS, Vol. III., in Two Parts. Price $12. Being the SHOO-KING, or Book of Historical Documents, with a Translation Prolegomena, &c. By JAMES LEGGE, D.D., of the London Missionary Society.

tf 2550 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

REES GLANMORE'S ORIENTAL CIRCULAR, and Journal of OFFICIAL, COMMERCIAL, and HOME INTELLIGENCE for INDIA, CHINA, and all parts of the EAST. Issued on the 10th and 26th of each Month, price $5 per annum, contains full particulars of OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS, CIVIL SERVICE, MONETARY and COMMERCIAL MATTERS, PRICES CURRENT, and everything transpiring in England or abroad of interest to Merchants and Residents in the East.

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NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK Co., LIMITED.

STEAM-TUG "FAME."

110 *H. P.* NOMINAL.

With disconnecting Engines.

THIS powerful TUG, is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour, or Tow them to or from sea.

For particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or to the Office of the Company, *d'Aguilar Street*, Hongkong.

JOHN S. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*

3296 Hongkong, 13th October, 1866.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

STEAM-TUG "LITTLE OREMAN."

THIS Powerful Tug is available at any time to Berth Vessels in this Harbour, or to Tow them to or from sea.

For particulars, apply to the Captain on board or to J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary*

2566 Hongkong, 12th October, 1866.

Banks.

THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.
RESERVED FUND, £444,000.

Court of Directors.

Harry George Gordon, Esq., Chairman.
William Scott Binny, Esq., Deputy-Chairman.
James Blyth, Esq.
Duncan James Kay, Esq.
Alexander Mackenzie, Esq.
Lestock Robert Reid, Esq.
Patrick F. Robertson, Esq., M.P.
James Walker, Esq.
Charles J. F. Stuart, Esq., Chief-Manager.

Bankers.

The Bank of England.
The Union Bank of London.

Agents in Scotland.

National Bank of Scotland.
Commercial Bank of Scotland.

Agent for Edinburgh.

R. Dundas Clay,
25, St. Andrew's Square, Edinburgh.

Agents in Ireland.

Provincial Bank of Ireland.
The National Bank.

Head Office.

Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.

Branches and Agencies.

BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PONDICHERRY, KURRACHEE, COLOMBO, POINT DE GALLE, MAURITIUS, MELBOURNE, SYDNEY, SINGAPORE, FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

The Corporation receive Money on Deposit repayable on Demand, upon which no Interest is allowed. Current accounts are kept with Firms and Individuals, free of Commission.

Money is also received on Fixed Deposit, repayable at Twelve, Six, and Three Months' notice. Rates of interest may be known on application either at the office of the Corporation or by letter addressed to the Manager.

Notice of withdrawal may be given at the time of deposit.

The Corporation discount Bills and Notes payable in Hongkong, having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership; and they advance upon Bullion and Merchandize, not of a perishable nature, in the custody of the Bank.

Exchange.

The Corporation grant Drafts on the Bank of England payable on demand, on the Union Bank of London at Four Months' sight, and on the Head office at shorter sight.

Circular Notes for the use of Travellers are issued, negotiable in all places of importance throughout the world.

Drafts are granted on the several Branches and Agencies of the Corporation, as above, at the Exchange of the day, and on the proper address being furnished will be forwarded direct to the Payees by the Corporation.

Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above places are purchased or remitted for collection.

Approved Bills payable in San Francisco are also purchased by the Corporation, and drafts granted, at rates of exchange equivalent to those ruling on London.—Bills of Exchange on San Francisco, or the Atlantic Ports, will likewise be remitted for collection, at the option of Constituents.

All cheques or orders to be made payable to "The Oriental Bank Corporation."

Information as to the rules of business may be had at the Office, or on application by letter to the Manager.

Office hours 10 to 3, Saturday 10 to 1.

JAMES BREWICK, *Acting Manager.*

249 Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, 5,000,000 of Dollars.

Court of Directors:—

Chairman—EDWARD CUNNINGHAM, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—WOLDEMAR NISSEN, Esq.
Geo. F. Heard, Esq. — Arthur Rennert, Esq.
Geo. J. Belland, Esq. — Caleb T. Smith, Esq.
Henry B. Lemann, Esq. — Hon. Thos. Sutherland, Esq.
Julius Mayer, Esq.

Managers:—

Hongkong—Victor Kresser, Esq.
Shanghai—David McLean, Esq.

London Bankers—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months 3 per cent. per annum.
6 " 5 " "
12 " 6 " "

In addition to the above fixed rates of interest the Corporation has adopted the principle of setting aside a certain portion of its yearly profits to be given as a Bonus on the balances employed by the Bank, Customers keeping Current Accounts and Depositors will participate equally in respect of such Bonus, whether Shareholders in the Corporation or not.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits—granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts—granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

VICTOR KRESSER, *Manager.*

Offices of the Corporation,
Wardley House, No. 1, Queen's Road.

12th March, 1867. tf 923.

NOTICE.

IT being considered desirable to shorten the issues of Bills drawn in India and China on Europe, the undersigned *hereby give notice* that from 1st January, 1867, their Branches and Agencies in the East will only buy and sell Bills of Exchange at a term not exceeding four months' sight.

The undersigned further give notice that they will purchase Bills of Exchange, drawn under Credits, only when the Credits contain a distinct engagement with the holders of the Bills to accept the same.

G. G. ADAM,
For the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.

D. T. ROBERTSON,
For the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China.

J. OUSELEY,
For the Bank of Hindustan, China and Japan, Limited.

J. C. PARBY,
For the Delhi and London Bank, Limited.

G. PIETSCH,
For the Comptoir D'Escompte de Paris.

CHARLES J. F. STUART,
For the Oriental Bank Corporation.

tf 1795 Hongkong, 21st August, 1866.

NOTICE.

THE undermentioned BANKS hereby intimate to the Public generally that the only persons authorised to make contracts on their behalf, of any kind whatsoever, are their respective MANAGERS or other legally authorized representatives.

No Chinese employee whatever have any authority to negotiate or conclude any business arrangements on behalf of the said CORPORATIONS.

For the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON AND CHINA,
W. JACKSON,
Manager, Hongkong.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
V. KRESSER,
Manager.

For the COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.
HONGKONG AGENCY,
E. DELBANCO,
Acting Manager.

For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA,
W. FATE,
Manager, Hongkong.

tf 1170 Hongkong, 10th May, 1867.

Banks.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

CAPITAL PAID-UP £750,000.

With power to increase to £1,500,000.

Reserved Fund, £250,000.

Head Office—No. 65, Old Broad Street, London, E.C.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

George Garden Nicol, Esq.—*Chairman.*
Denzil Ibbetson, Esq. — Ellis James Gibbon, Esq.
George May, Esq. — David Trail Robertson, Esq., ex Officio.
Sir Frederick J. Halliday.
James M. Robertson, Esq.

David Trail Robertson, Esq.—*Chief Manager.*
William Beatkie, Esq.—*Assistant Manager.*
Walter Grinsted, Esq.—*Secretary.*
William Jackson, Esq.—*Inspector of Branches and Agencies.*

LONDON BANKERS.

Bank of England.
London Joint Stock Bank.

SOLICITORS.

Messrs. Clarke, Sons, & Rawlins, Colehan St.

AUDITORS.

Messrs. Coleman, Turquand, Youngs, & Co., Public Accountants.

J. Smith, Esq., of Messrs. W. Nicol & Co., Bombay.

James Joseph Mackenzie, Esq., late of Messrs. Dent & Co., China.

Branches and Agencies.

Bombay.
Calcutta.
Madras
Ceylon { Colombo. Kandy. Galle.
Singapore.
Penang.
Shanghai.
Yokohama.
Hankow.
Mauritius.
Saigon.
Batavia.

HONGKONG DEPOSIT AGENCY,
128, George Street.
CHARLES PEARSON, Esq., C.A.—Agent.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

Current deposits.—Accounts are kept on which no interest is allowed and no charge made for collecting Bills, Cheques, &c.

Fixed deposits.—Are received viz:—

Repayable at 12 months' ..... 6% per annum.
" at 6" ..... 3% per annum.

The Bank discounts Local Bills, and Notes payable in Hongkong having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership, and makes advances on approved Banking Securities.

Exchange.

The Bank issues drafts on its London Office, and on the London Joint Stock Bank at six months' sight; also on its Branches above; and Agents in Scotland, Ireland, Melbourne, Sydney, and Towns in Australia, New Zealand, &c., and grants Circular Notes for the use of travellers negotiable in all Towns of importance throughout the world.

Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above mentioned places are purchased or remitted for collection.

Further information as to the rules of business may be obtained at the office, or on application by letter to the Manager.

Office hours:—10 to 3, Saturday 10 to 1.

WILLIAM JACKSON, *Manager.*

2, Queen's Road, 5 March, 1866.

THE AGRA & MASTERMAN'S BANK, LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that all Claims upon the HONGKONG BRANCH, which have been admitted by the Undersigned, will be paid in full on

TUESDAY, 4th instant.
WEDNESDAY, 5th "
And
THURSDAY, 6th "

Holders of Drafts or Bills of Exchange, Fixed Deposit Receipts, Notes and Certificate of Indebtedness will have to surrender the same.

FRANCIS H. LANE,
Attorney for Liquidator.

tf 1299 Hongkong, 1st June, 1867.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

A SPECIAL AGENCY of the above Corporation has been OPENED in Foochow, under the charge of Mr. JOHN S. LOCHEE.

VICTOR KRESSER,
Manager.

tf 983 Hongkong, 24th April, 1867.

NOTICE.

A SUB-AGENCY of the Oriental Bank Corporation, under the charge of Mr. ALEXANDER PARNSCUT, has been OPENED at FOOCHOW.

J. McDOUALL, *Manager.*
Oriental Bank Corporation.

tf 1899 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1866.

C. ADOLPH LOW & Co.

SHIPPING & COMMISSION MERCHANTS, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. REFER TO

Messrs. RUSSELL & Co. } Hongkong.
SMITH, ARCHER & Co. } San Francisco, Cal.
P. DAVIDSON & Co. }
Agents for the Rothschilds, }
A. A. LOW & BROS. New York. }

6m 440 Hongkong, 13th February, 1867.

WELLS, FARGO & Co.'s NEW YORK AND CALIFORNIA EXPRESS AND EXCHANGE COMPANY.

EXPRESS NOTICE.

AN EXPRESS will be forwarded to Shanghai, Yangtsze Ports, Tientsin, and Yokohama, by every steamer leaving here for Shanghai.

Packages received at our Office until one hour before departure of each vessel.

PHILIP R. DUMARESQ,
Agent.

WELLS, FARGO & Co.

tf 1253 Hongkong, 27th May, 1867.

HONGKONG SWIMMING BATH.

IT was Resolved at a COMMITTEE MEETING, held on the 2nd instant, that the admittance of New Subscribers to the above institution shall henceforward be decided by Ballot, which will be held every SATURDAY.

Contributors to the CONSTRUCTION FUND of the BATH only shall have a right to vote, one Black Ball in five to exclude, and ten votes will be necessary to constitute a Ballot.

Members of the EUROPEAN and AMERICAN COMMUNITY of Hongkong who are desirous of becoming subscribers are requested to send in their applications to the Undersigned.

C. BUDDEN,
Hon. Sec.

tf 1060 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

N. CREMER & Co.,

CONFECTIONERS and PASTRY COOKS, No. 1, *Stanley Street.*

ICE CREAM EVERY DAY.

Orders for Dinners, &c., promptly executed.

tf 921 Hongkong, 15th April, 1867.

THE MEMBERS of the late HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed.

H. COHEN.

tf 681 Hongkong, 14th March, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE rate of Freight on Treasure by the Steamers of the Undersigned to and from the Coast Ports, will from the 1st April be one uniform rate of ½ per cent.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

tf 799 Hongkong, 1st April, 1867.

Auctions.

GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, *Queen's Road*,

THIS DAY,
the 7th June, 1867, at Noon,—
their usual Miscellaneous GOODS,
And,
on account of the concerned,
ex *Argonaut*,

30 cases, ea. 4 doz. quarts, Bottled PORTER.

And, by order of H. M. COMMISSARIAT, without reserve,

50 Hogsheads PORTER.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars valued at 7.1.7.

1340 Hongkong, June 6th, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

TO-MORROW,
the 8th June, 1867, at 11 o'clock A.M.—
At Messrs. Rawsith & Co's Office Godowns,
(For account of Underwriters.)

400 half-sacks California FLOUR.
290 quarter-sacks California FLOUR.

(All more or less damaged by Sea Water.)

TERMS OF SALE—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars valued at 7.1.7.

1339 Hongkong, 6th June, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

FAWCETT & Co. will offer at Public competition, at their Store, 2, *Wellington Street*,

TO-MORROW,
the 8th June, 1867, at 11 A.M.

An Invoice of New WIRE ROPE, from 1½ inch to 4 inches.

An Invoice of English-made BLOCKS, 5 inches to 12 inches.

An Invoice PRESERVED MEATS, SOUPS, and VEGETABLES, in 1 and 2 lbs. Tins, consisting of Roast and Boiled BEEF, Roast and Boiled MUTTON, FOWL, VEAL, &c., assorted SOUPS, Vegetables, as CARROTS, TURNIPS, PARSNIPS, ONIONS, BEETROOT, GREEN PEAS, SALMON.

500 lbs. English TWINE.
50 YORK HAMS.
50 CHEDDAR CHEESES.
50 Bales English SOAP, to 28 lbs. each.
100 Near LOG LINES.
10 Dozen CARGO BOOKS.
10 " CHAMPAGNE.
10 Cases SARDINES.
25 " OLD RUM (Jamaica).
25 " ORANGE BITTERS.

The usual assortment of OLLMAN'S STORES.

And,

1 Cask GOLDEN SYRUP.

Together with any other GOODS that may offer.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars valued at 7.1.7.

1344 Hongkong, 6th June, 1867.

BOWRA & Co.

HAVE received instructions to Sell by Public Auction on the Ground

TO-MORROW,
the 8th June, at Noon,—

All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND, known as Inland Lot, No. 485, situated at Hennessy Road, Crown Rent only $37.25 per annum. Measuring North 50 feet, South 50 feet, East 80 feet, West 80 feet, containing 4,000 square feet.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash upon fall of the hammer in Mexican dollars valued at 7.1.7. All expenses of transfer to be paid by purchaser.

1335 Hongkong, 7th June, 1867.

BOWRA & Co.

HAVE received instructions from the Executors of the late Captain MORGAN, to Sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY,
the 14th June, 1867, on the premises, at Noon,—

ABOUT 1 acre of FREE GROUND, known as Inland Lot No. 112, with the commodious BUNGALOW and out Offices erected thereon, situate at the corner of *Lyndhurst Terrace* and *Graham Street*.

Measuring, as per Crown Lease, on the North 91 feet, South 90 feet, East 67 feet, West 102 feet.

Crown Rent, only $38.92.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash upon fall of the hammer in Mexican Dollars valued at 7.1.7. Purchaser to pay all expenses of transfer.

1338 Hongkong, 6th June, 1867.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,
the 15th June, 1867, commencing at Noon,—

At the Residence of Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., *Hollywood Road*,

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising COUCHES, CHAIRS, TABLES, LAMPS, MIRRORS, CLOCKS, PICTURES, WRATNOTS, SIDE-BOARD, CROCKERY, GLASS, TRAYED and SILVER WARE, BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES, &c., &c.

And,

OFFICE FURNITURE, viz.—DESKS, IRON SAFES, LETTER SCALES, STATIONERY, PLATFORM and MOBER SCALES, COINING PRESS, &c., &c.

The whole may be viewed from the 13th instant, and Catalogues will be shortly issued.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars valued at 7.1.7. All lots with all faults and errors of description at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.

1333 Hongkong, 7th June, 1867.

FOR SALE.

THAT ROW of 8 HOUSES, immediately above *Caine Road*, known as *West Terrace*, and situated on a portion of Inland Lot No. 425.

For particulars, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

tf 404 Hongkong, 11th February, 1867.

FOR SALE.

THE PROPERTY belonging to the Estate of E. H. CAMA, consisting of the Commodious three-storied DWELLING HOUSE with Godowns attached, situate on the Bund, westward of *Pedder's Wharf*, four Stone Godowns at *West Point*, and Four Stone Godowns at *Wanchai*.

For further particulars apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,
Attorneys for the Trustees of E. H. Cama's Estate.

tf 278 Hongkong, 24th January, 1867.

FOR SALE.

OR TO LET,
FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.

THE Dwelling-House known as "WOODLANDS," in *Castle Road, Caine Road*, with Out-Offices, Servants' Rooms, Garden Grounds, Lawn, Stabling for six horses, double Coach House, Hay Loft, Groom's Room, double Cow House, Fuel House, &c., &c. Gas and Water laid on.

Possession can be had on the 1st July. For further particulars, apply to

THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
53, *Wyndham Street.*

tf 1167 Hongkong, 16th May, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE Gentleman, who was seen walking in *Queen's Road*, with a Hobbling, Brown and Black KANGAROO DOG on SUNDAY last, is hereby requested to return the Dog to the Undersigned, who reserves to himself his right of possession.

WM. SCHMIDT.
Queen's Road, No. 94.

1m 1187 Hongkong, 18th May, 1867.

THE TOURISTS GUIDE,
IN
POCKET FORM.

Containing the names of all the Articles of Trade, object of Natural History, Furniture, &c., &c., with the Pukti, and Mandarin Pronunciation. Price $2.50.

Also a few copies of the GRAMMAR of the Chinese Language, in two Parts.

Apply to Mr. BRIL, *Daily Press Office.*

Hongkong, 10th May, 1866.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

LETTERS of ADMINISTRATION to the Estate of HENRY LYON, deceased, having been granted by the Supreme Court of Hongkong, to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby requested to pay the amount of their debts without delay; and all persons having claims against the Estate are requested to send them in before the 1st July next.

E. H. LYON, *Administrator.*

tf 68 Hongkong, 7th January, 1867.

NOTICE.

LETTERS of ADMINISTRATION, having been Granted to the Undersigned, under the Seal of the PROBATE COURT of HONGKONG, the 10th day of November, A.D., 1866, in the estate of the late EUGENE GARRETT.

All persons having claims against the estate are requested to send them in as early as possible; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to pay to him the accounts without delay.

A. E. VAUGHAN.

Hongkong, 7th November, 1866.

BOMANJEE FRAMJEE CAMA'S ESTATE.

THE Trustees of the Estate of Mr. BOMANJEE FRAMJEE CAMA having assets on hand sufficient for the payment of a First Dividend, hereby give notice to all his Creditors who have signed the Trust Deed that they are required to appear in person or by duly constituted Attorney before the Undersigned with full particulars of their Claims, and to prove the same before the 15th of May, 1867, shortly after which date the dividend will be payable to Indian Creditors, as will be duly set forth hereafter by advertisement.

Creditors in China, England, and elsewhere than in India, must similarly prove their Claims before the Attorneys of the Trustees at the several places where Attorneys have been appointed, previously to the 15th June, 1867. The dividend to Creditors other than Indian Creditors will be payable in Bombay, but not after the 31st July, 1867.

All Creditors who have not signed the Trust Deed are hereby warned that unless they execute the same and prove their Claims within the times above limited, they will be excluded from all benefit of the Trust, and shall be regarded therein Mr. D. F. Cama has signified the intention of taking the benefit of the Act for the relief of Insolvent Debtors in India.

J. BEATTIE.
JAS. HOSACK.
DADABHOY HORMUSJEE CAMA.
Trustees of the Bombay Trust.

No. 6, Bankshall Row,
Bombay, 11th April, 1867.

WITH reference to the above, it is hereby notified, that Messrs. W. S. EUROPE, ROBERT LYALL and BOMANJEE MERWANJEE are the duly constituted Attorneys in China, for the Trustees in Bombay, and any Claims against the Estate must be lodged with them, on or before the 15th day of June next.

tf 1090 Hongkong, 7th May, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have Hongkong, the STOCK-IN-TRADE, FURNITURES, &c., of YEE-SHING's Gold Shop, No. 26, *Bonham Strand*, the exchange of which took place on the 2nd instant, is not RESPONSIBLE for any kind of Debts incurred by the said Firm, mining, in Canton.

LAI ON.
GILMAN & Co.
Goldsmith.

1w 1333 Hongkong, 6th June, 1867.

DRY DOCKS, SHANGHAI.

OLD DOCK.

Length on Blocks	330 feet.
Width of Entrance	45 "
Depth of water at Spring tides	20 "
" " at Neap	16 "

The Caisson can be floated out at Neap tides and the Dock can be pumped dry in 5 hours by two Worthington Steam Pumps.

STEAM BOAT DOCK.

Length on Blocks	200 feet.
Width	30 "
Width of Entrance	30 "
Depth of water at Spring tides	12 "
" " at Neap	11 "

The Caisson can be floated out at Neap tides and the Docks can be pumped dry in 3 hours by a powerful Rotary Steam Pump.

The Charges for Docking in the HONGKONG BATTERY are the same as those for Tonnage of Sailing Vessels, and on the same footing of Steamers.

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Any damage occurring to Vessels docked under the sole charge of the Dock Master, shipping in or out of Dock, will be made good by the undersigned; but he will not be responsible for damage docked by accidents to the Caisson or DOCK.

The Dock establishment comprises a FOUNDRY, BLACKSMITH'S MACHINE, BOILER, and PATENT SHOPS; SAIL and RIGGING LOFTS; and all branches of work connected with the building or repairing of Iron or Wooden Vessels.

For Particulars, apply to

JOHN P. ROBERTS,
Old Dock, Shanghai.

1m 1254 Shanghai, 15th May, 1867.

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THE above DOCK has been in full working order for the last eighteen months, length 300 feet, width at bottom, 40 feet, depth of water on the Sill Springs average 14 feet, Neaps 11 feet. The Dock, in ordinary tides runs dry to the Blocks, and is pumped out by steam. The charges are as follows: The day of entrance and two following days: One Mexican Dollar per ton register; all on charged, beyond that period, each day, 10 cents per register ton.

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Canton 1.25
Canton Carpenter ..... .75
Sawbaw ..... .50

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ROBERT ADAMS, Esq., Messrs. NICHOLSON & BOYD, Shanghai.

Or, to the Undersigned.

In connecting with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug, *Nelsang*. Vessels requiring the service of this Tug, either from Meitan (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. Monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application to

JOHN G. SKEL,
Manager.

Pagoda Anchorage, River Min.

No percentage charged upon the labor, but a charge of 10 per cent. will be made on all materials supplied, otherwise than by the Dock.

tf 1344 Foochow, 31st July, 1866.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are requested to return to the Office of the Company the SCRIP CERTIFICATES, and DEEDS OF TRANSFER, for which they will receive in exchange new SCRIP CERTIFICATES, under the present regulations of the Company.

By order of the Directors

JOHN LAPRAIK,
Secretary.

tf 2736 Hongkong, 14th December, 1866.

NOW READY.

BOUND VOLUMES of the TRADE REPORT for the year 1866. Price $10.

Apply at the *Daily Press* Office.

tf 242 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1867.

Intimations.

SEALED TENDERS (in duplicate) will be received at this Office until Noon on MONDAY next, the 10th instant, for Bills on the LOCAL COMMISSIONERS of Her Majesty's Treasury, or on the GOVERNOR-GENERAL of India, in Council, Calcutta, both at 30 days' sight, in exchange for current dollars at 7.1.7.

Bills on London will not be drawn for sums under £1,000, and, on Calcutta, under Rupees 10,000.

The accepted Tenders will be at once notified to the respective parties by letter, requesting them to lodge the amount to the Credit of the Commissariat Account at the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, where a receipt will be given, on production of which at this Office the Bills will be issued.

In order to save time, it is requested that the sum of Bills required may be detailed in the margin of the Tender.

REDMOND UNIACKE,
Assistant Commissary General.

Commissariat Office,
Hongkong, 6th June, 1867. [64 1343

REWARD!

WE the Undersigned, offer as a REWARD to the delivery of Captain JOSEPH HUNT, or his Wife, MERCY HUNT, late of the American Barque *Rover*, alive in any Treaty Port in China, the amount of subscribed for signatures, per one-half, the same amount for their bodies, delivered in any Treaty Port in China.

Captain JOSEPH HUNT, Wife, Officers, and Crew landed on the south point of the Island of Formosa about the 12th of March, 1867, after the loss of the Vessel.

J. H. L. BOTEFUHR	$1,000.
J. G. WILLOBY	1,000.
F. G. JORDON	500.

tf 1252 Swatow, 24th May, 1867.

WANTED.—A Strong, young, and Fast-trotting PONY, perfectly trained to Harness. Address A. B. C., *Daily Press* Office.

tf 1309 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1867.

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tf 1254 Hongkong, 30th May, 1867.

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tf 1246 Hongkong, 24th May, 1867.

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tf 1232 Hongkong, 23rd May, 1867.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE OFFICE of the undersigned is temporarily REMOVED, to the former premises of the ASIATIC BANKING CORPORATION, adjoining Messrs. SMITH, KENNEDY & Co., *Queen's Road.*

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

tf 752 Hongkong, 25th March, 1867.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Lloyds at CANTON and MACAO, and Communications at Macao to be addressed to Mr. E. L. Lemos, H.B.M. Consular Agent there.

GILMAN & Co.

tf Hongkong, 24th April, 1868.

TH. THISTLETT & Co.,
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AND
PRACTICAL ENGINEERS,

48 Wyndham Street, a few doors below the *Daily Press* Office.

All kinds of Repairs to Engines, Pumps, Electric and Sewing Machines, Guns, Revolvers, &c., &c., promptly executed at reasonable charges.

1w 1288 Hongkong, 1st June, 1867.

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(Late Thomson & Swan,)
BOILER MAKER,
SHIP AND ENGINE SMITH.

Work executed with dispatch and on reasonable terms.

WEST POINT, HONGKONG.

tf 1310 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1867.

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E PARA VENDA,
UMA FACTURA de PARAMETOS de IGREJA. Dirija-se a
BLUM BROTHERS & Co.,
Hollywood Road.

163 1291 Hongkong, 31 de Maio, 1867.

ORIENTAL BOWLING ALLEY.

WHO wants a GYMNASIUM when half an hour at the above exercise is sufficient for the day's Constitutional, combining the agreeable attractions of pleasant Halls with the interest attached to a game of skill.

A SODA FOUNTAIN, with the latest cordial drinks (for Teetotallers), continually in play, while the undersigned will be a guarantee for the quality of the stronger drinks supplied, having brought out a choice assortment of Wines and Spirits from England.

EDWARD PARKER,
Late Albion.

tf 1191 Hongkong, 20th May, 1867.

AMERICAN BOWLING ALLEY.

THE Undersigned does not hold himself RESPONSIBLE for any Debts contracted in the ORIENTAL BOWLING ALLEY prior to the 6th May, 1867.

EDWARD PARKER,
Late Albion.

tf 1206 Hongkong, 21st May, 1867.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS

JOHN PATERSON,
Late with Messrs. LOGAN & Co.,
House and Ship Plumber, Gas Fitter, and Zinc Worker,

Praya West, Achong's Yard, next to Mr. LOGAN

tf 1150 Hongkong, 15th April, 1867.

COACH BUILDER AND UNDERTAKER

THE Undersigned begs to return his sincere thanks to his Friends and the Public of Hongkong for the very liberal support he has received, and hopes by strict attention to his business to merit a further continuance of their Patronage and Support. He also begs to intimate that he is prepared to MAKE all kinds of CARRIAGES TO ORDER, with dispatch, on the lowest possible terms. All kinds of WHEELS MADE TO ORDER. All work to be made on the shortest notice and will be guaranteed to stand correct in the Work for which they are intended, as the Undersigned has had many years experience in ENGLAND, and likewise was WHEELWRIGHT for many years in Her MAJESTY'S Royal Field Artillery, both in INDIA and CHINA, and thereby has made himself thoroughly acquainted with Wood suitable to the different climates.

All kinds of SPRINGS MADE and REPAIRED.

He also begs to intimate that he has connected the UNDERTAKING with his business, which he will endeavour to carry out to the entire satisf

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL,—$750,000.
IN 1,500 SHARES, OF $500 EACH.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS, at ABERDEEN and WHAMPOA, are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners, and Agents is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for the Docking and Repairing of Vessels.

The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the Public:—

ABERDEEN DOCKS.

DOCK No. 1.

Built of GRANITE.

Length	330 feet.
Breadth	80 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	18½ "
Do. Neap Tides	16 "

NEW DOCK, No. 2.

Built of GRANITE.

Length	400 feet.
Breadth	90 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	24½ "
Do. Neap Tides	21½ "

This DOCK is now under course of construction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS.

DOCK A.

Built of GRANITE

Length	550 feet.
Breadth	80 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	16½ a 17 "
Do. Neap Tides	13½ a 15 "

This can be used either as one or two Docks

DOCK B.

Built of GRANITE.

Length	340 feet.
Breadth	60 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	18 "
Do. Neap Tides	15 "

The above are the largest Docks in China, and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C.

Built of GRANITE.

Length	260 feet.
Depth of water at Spring Tides	14 "
Do. Neap Tides	11 "

Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

DOCK D.

Length	164 feet.
Depth of water at Spring Tides	12.6
Do. Neap Tides	9.6 "

DOCK E.

Length	120 feet.
Depth of water at Spring Tides	11 "
Do. Neap Tides	8 "

D, and E, are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.

The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineers' Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c.,—capable of executing work on the largest scale, and driven by Steam. The Shipwrights' and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried on under the Supervision of experienced Europeans.

Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty, alongside which vessels can lie in 24 feet water, and take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

BOILERMAKER'S DEPARTMENT.

The Company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steam-ships, for constructing which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRY.

Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, are executed with the utmost despatch.

STORES.

The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c.

STEAM TUG.

The Company's powerful Steam TUG *Fame*, (110 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow sailing vessels from Hongkong to the Dock *free of charge*; and will take them back or to Sea at reduced Rates.

For further particulars apply at the Offices of the Company, *2 Aguilar Street*, Hongkong.

JOHN S. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*

N.B.—The Consignees or Master of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject, when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

1247 Hongkong, 18th October, 1866.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters, to their Establishments at WHAMPOA, which offer every facility for the DOCKING and REPAIR of Vessels of all classes.

Their DOCKS in Whampoa, which comprise Four, have been in successful operation for the last Twelve Years, and are now in good Working Condition.

The DOCKS are pumped out by a Steam Pump in Five hours and are capable of taking in Vessels drawing 15½ feet at Spring Tides.

The WORKSHOPS comprise the different Departments of the Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boiler Maker, and Foundry—possessing all the necessary appliances for the Repairs of Ships, Steamers, and Steam Machinery.

The STORES in the different Departments consist of the best Materials, which can be supplied to Vessels on the most reasonable Terms.

A JETTY, with a powerful Lifting Shears, alongside of which Vessels can lie and take out Masts, Boilers, &c.

A STEAM TUG always in readiness to Tow Vessels to the Docks, free of charge, and will tow them back to anchorage or to sea at Reduced Rates.

All Works carried on under the superintendence of experienced Europeans.

For further particulars apply to

J. R. ENDICOTT, *Secretary*,
or CAPT. T. B. RENNELL, *Manager at Whpoa.*

N.B.—The Consignees or Masters of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock Arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

950 Hongkong, 21st March, 1865.

DANB'S ISLAND DOCKS, WHAMPOA.

CONDUCTED BY
GOW & Co.

ONE Dock, 240 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 14 feet, at Spring Tides.

One Dock, 160 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 11 feet at Spring Tides.

There are Houses at both Docks for the accommodation of Captains and Crews of Vessels.

All kinds of Ship and Blacksmith's Workdone.

The Large Dock pumped out by an Engine.

The Proprietors beg to notify the Merchants, Ship Owners, and Captains, that their charges for Docking are lower than any in China.

No Commission charged upon any Metal or Stores supplied by the Ship.

Apply to

JOHN RIACH & Co.,
Hongkong, or to
ALEXR. MORRISON,
Manager, Whampoa.

tf Hongkong, 4th September, 1862.

PORT OF AMOY.

SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COMMANDERS are informed that the DOCK COMPANY'S establishments at the above Port afford facility for repairing and refitting STEAM and SAILING VESSELS.

THEIR LARGE GRANITE DOCK, 286 feet on the blocks—307 feet over all, is in complete working order, and at average spring tides can take vessels drawing 16 to 17 feet. It is fitted with a Caisson Gate, and with a powerful centrifugal steam pump, ensuring despatch in all states of the tides. Their two smaller docks one 223 feet, and the other 160 feet on the blocks, can take vessels at average spring tides drawing 12 feet.

A stock kept on hand of Timber, Spars, Copper and metal sheathing—paints for iron vessels, and other materials required for dock-yard use.

The premises comprise, Carpenter's shops, mast sheds and Blacksmith's shops, superintended by experienced European Foremen, also an ENGINEER'S WORK-SHOP SUPPLIED WITH LATHES AND OTHER TOOLS WORKED BY STEAM, and in charge of a resident European Engineer.

A brass-foundry attached.

Dry Godowns for the reception of stores of vessels requiring to discharge them.

tf 662 Amoy, 1st March, 1867.

UNDER DISPATCH.

For San Francisco.—Per *Japara*, To-day, the 7th instant, at 2 P.M.

For Shanghai.—Per *Yang Hoi*, *Ah*, To-day, the 7th instant, at 4 P.M.

For Swatow, Amoy and Foochowfoo.—Per *Nipkon*, To-morrow, the 8th instant, at Noon.

For Singapore and Calcutta.—Per *Armenian*, To-morrow, the 8th instant, at 4 P.M.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, JUNE 7, 1867.

It would be very far from our wish indeed, to join in the expression of false sentiment about the sanctity of human life in a place like this, where vigorous measures may at all times be necessary to preserve peace and order, and occasionally, perhaps, measures which are something more even than vigorous, but in spite of the fact that many persons are disposed to justify the conduct of the constable who lately shot the Chinaman near Government-buildings, we cannot help dissenting emphatically from the verdict of justifiable homicide. This was determined on, we presume, by the fact that there had been a struggle between the prisoner and the policeman, but that fact does not really change the character of the transaction. It is not to be expected that men who are arrested and being taken to the station-house will behave in a docile and agreeable manner, though if they are troublesome, and, above all, if they strike a policeman, they are sure to be dealt with very severely when brought before a magistrate. Resisting the police in the discharge of their duty, is a well-known offence at all police courts, but it is not under the English law punishable with death, which has been awarded to it in this case at the discretion of a simple constable. The only fact which the evidence brought out besides those apparent on the surface when the case was first heard of, was that certain other Chinamen were visible on the scene during the struggle between the deceased and the constable, and that he (the constable) concluded they were friends about to attempt a rescue. Nothing apparently transpired to justify this conclusion. They did not attack him, and beyond being simply visible in the distance, played no part in this little tragedy at all. The chances are, of course, that they had nothing to do with the prisoner at all. If they had attacked the constable, the aspect of the case would have been wholly different, and he would have been fully justified, both morally and under the instructions issued by the Police Department, in firing on them. But it is impossible in reading the evidence to avoid a suspicion that these supernumerary Chinamen were brought upon the scene as an afterthought, when it began to dawn upon the constable's mind that he had been too precipitate.

The instructions issued to constables are perfectly reasonable as far as they are concerned; and directed entirely to the prevention of such occurrences as that which has now taken place. They begin by pointing out to the men that their rifles are only issued to them for self defence, or to be used on great emergencies, and the cases in which they are to be used are described as far as they can be foreseen. They may be used when the constable is attacked by numbers and his own life threatened, of course; they may be used when the constable has actually seen a murder committed and the murderer would escape otherwise, or when in any way he (the constable) is positively certain that the man trying to escape is the murderer. Again, when a burglary has been committed and the constable sees a man escaping with plunder he may fire on him, and in the case of attempts to escape on the part of convicted prisoners under sentence; but precisely that distinction which we anticipated is drawn in the instructions. It is not hinted in any way that the rifle may be used on a person arrested on suspicion, and, indeed, the distinction is so broad and obvious that we are unable to imagine how the jury can have passed it by.

The argument of those who approve such violence as this is, that, right or wrong, it has a good effect on the Chinese mind, frightens them into humility, keeps them down, and so forth; and directly anyone says a word in condemnation of anyone else who ill-uses a Chinaman, he is supposed by a certain "school of thinkers" to be an enemy of his own countrymen. It is hardly probable, however, that this journal will be accused of a disposition to underrate the importance of European interests in China, or truckle in any way to the native element, but we do protest against injustice and brutality, even when directed against Chinamen. It may be necessary to frighten them into subjection, to keep them down, and all that, but the way to do this is not to break out with ruthless demonstrations of violence every now and then, but to make laws as severe as may be necessary and carry them out relentlessly—if necessary, to throw overboard a great many of the checks and counter-checks of English forms of justice to make the arm of the law more powerful—to do anything, in short, deliberately, on a system, with method and regularity, but never to be cruel and tyrannical for the sake of striking terror. The strongest defence of such an act as that which was committed by the constable who shot his prisoner here in the street, or, rather, the defence which, of all the pleas that might be set up is the least weak, is just this argument, that the occasional commission of such acts must strike terror to and over-awe the native population; but when looked into, this is a miserable plea. As if there were not a hundred ways of doing this without killing innocent men to produce an effect! And the man shot must be regarded, for the purposes of this discussion about the constable's act, as an innocent man. Perhaps he may have been an old goal-bird, perhaps he may have been meditating a robbery when he was apprehended; that is nothing to the purpose. He was simply a prisoner being conveyed to the station-house on suspicion, and this is not one of the cases in which the constable, under the instructions of the Police Department, is justified in using his rifle. That is not a matter of opinion, it is a matter of fact, which reference to the instructions can prove, and which the jury must have been aware of. The constable was *prima facie* in the wrong, because he was disregarding his orders, and the question was, were the circumstances of so peculiar and terrible a character that, although not contemplated in the instructions, they justified the constable in exceeding his duty? We certainly cannot see that they were. We do not say that the constable has committed a murder exactly, but the verdict of justifiable homicide can only have been reached through that deplorable impulse which is sometimes made manifest to regard roughness and violence towards Asiatics under subjection to comparatively small numbers of Europeans as likely "to do them good," whether deserved or not.

In our report yesterday of Mr. Bottomley's evidence in the *Min* case, a slight error occurred. Mr. Bottomley was made to say that he had managed the firm of Holmes, Nebbit and Holmes for two years, whereas it should have been that he was managing a department of their business.

Mysterious Disappearance.

A painful circumstance has occurred just now, and one that leaves room for vague apprehension. One of the gaol turnkeys named Henry Manning, who has been in the service a long time, gave evidence at the inquest held on Monday last, to the fact that the Chinaman who was shot last week by the constable was an old offender; after this Manning not being on duty went out for a stroll and nothing has since been heard of him. Having served a long time in the gaol and also at Stone Cutter's Island, he was often called upon to identify old offenders and it is feared that some of these scoundrels thinking him to be rather an obstacle to their escape from justice, have combined to make away with the poor fellow and have only been too successful in their cruelly scheme. However, nothing is known of the affair as yet, and it is to be hoped that Manning will yet turn up somewhere, but great apprehensions are felt on the score of his safety. The police are now on his track and every hope is entertained of being able to discover his fate, although there can be little doubt of that if he really fell among some of the scoundrels who still abound in the colony, in spite of the active exertions at present being made to suppress them and who would only be too glad to get him out of the way.

Supreme Court, June 6th.

NISI PRIUS.

BEFORE CHIEF-JUSTICE SMALE.

THE "MIN" CASE.

The court resumed its sitting at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, when evidence on behalf of the defendants was continued.

W. K. Hughes testified: He was in the management of Messrs. A. Wilkinson and Co. in April last. He stopped goods on the *Min* acting under a power of Attorney from Mr. Leibert to A. Wilkinson and Co. This power of attorney came under cover of a letter from Mr. Leibert to Wilkinson and Co. The letters were offered as evidence.

Mr. Pollard objected to these letters. He did not deny that A. Wilkinson and Co. had power to stop in transitu on behalf of Mr. Leibert. But he claimed that there had been no stoppage under this power by Wilkinson and Co., Mr. Hughes not being properly authorized to act for them under this power. The other letter he objected to on the ground that it contained counsels' opinion, and was not addressed to Wilkinson and Co., but to Mr. Hargreaves.

Cross-examined by Mr. Pollard: There was no other authority except a letter from Mr. Dickinson dated December, 1866 by which he managed their business in Hongkong except a verbal authority. There was other authority given verbally than was defined in the letter. As, for instance, the case in point, acting as agent for Mr. Leibert, of which at the time they knew nothing about.

From the Court: Messrs. Wilkinson and Co. do a general China trade, buying and selling produce and receiving consignments; They act for others, but always charge a commission. He did not know of a case when they had ever done business for others for nothing.

Mr. Whyte submitted that on the evidence of Mr. Hughes it was perfectly competent for Messrs. Wilkinson and Co. to stop in transitu the goods of Mr. Leibert.

Mr. Pollard objected to the letter of Mr. Hughes, dated April 6th, to the captain of the *Min*, stopping the 55 bales of goods on the ground that it was not admissable in evidence, because no power has been shown to exist in Mr. Hughes to write this letter. He referred to the letter of Mr. Dickinson giving the power of attorney. It was limited to specified purposes, which did not include the event that had happened. A. Wilkinson and Co. had never before been the agents of Leibert in China, and they could not have known anything of this transaction at the date of Dickinson's letter.

The objection was overruled; the paper was admitted, its reception being pressed by the Attorney-General.

Mr. McLean recalled: In the case of the goods from Leibert, Lyall, Still and Co. to Hongkong charged themselves a commission of five per cent., merely, however, *pro forma*, the same as produce sent home was charged a commission of two and one-half per cent. At the time he signed the assignment he had never seen Mendel's invoices or letters, or ever heard any term connected with the purchase of his goods. All he knew of it was their own firm's advice that Mr. Mendel had purchased goods for them, and that their London firm were going to furnish him with shipping documents.

The Attorney-General then summed up the case of the defendants. He remarked that, as he had premised in his opening address, he did not wish to throw any imputation upon any of the parties concerned in the transactions which have given rise to this action. The two bank managers were only too glad to extricate themselves from their unfortunate position and to take all the security they could get for their uncovered claims; Mr. McLean had acted from the best of motives in assuming property which he believed to belong absolutely to his firm to satisfy a debt of honor, and may or may not have known that the assignment was liable to be legally defeated by stoppage in transitu on the part of the unpaid vendors; and although the Manchester people might argue, as he before observed, that the effect of the transaction was, to use the common phrase, "robbing Peter to pay Paul," there could be no imputation on Mr. McLean of any such intention. It is quite clear that he was legally bound as a partner by the special contracts made between his firm, or the branch of his firm, in London as to the terms of purchase of Mr. Liebert, and Mr. Mendel's goods, but it is only fair to say that he was ignorant of them at the time of the contract, and acted throughout under legal advice. With regard to the two banks, whether they knew or did not know that the assignment of these bills of lading was liable to be defeated by stoppage in transitu on the part of the unpaid vendors is quite immaterial. The point was simply whether the jury were of opinion that at the time of the assignment the banks knew first that Lyall, Still & Co. were insolvent; secondly, that the goods represented by the bills of lading were bought on credit and were not likely to be paid for. There were great legal authorities (to which the Attorney-General referred) to show that if they found the first point in the affirmative the assignment was invalid, but abundant authority to show that if they found both points in the affirmation, the transfer of the bills of lading could not be sustained. The Attorney General then cited to the Court in support of his contention that the "transitus" was not terminated in London—the judgment of Baron Parke in Whitehead and Anderson, Coates v. Railton, Smith v. Goss, and other authorities, and argued that Messrs. Lyall and Still in London never had either actual or constructive possession of the goods; that Messrs. Kellick and Martin were simply forwarding agents to transmit the goods to the place of destination originally agreed upon between the buyers and sellers and therefore that the stoppage in transitu by the unpaid vendors was a valid one. In conclusion the Attorney General said that he had done his utmost to lay all the facts of the case before them, and he left the matter in their hand under the guidance of the learned Chief-Justice in the full confidence that the interests of his Manchester clients would not suffer by reason of their absence so many thousand miles away, but that they would give a just and righteous verdict on the merits.

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3m 1231 Swatow, 21st May, 1867.

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THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. PETER HAZEON in our Firm ceased on 31st December, 1866, and Mr. RICHARD BATTY PARR was admitted as Partner on the 1st January, 1867.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.
473 1160 Hongkong, 15th May, 1867.

FROM this date Mr. T. B. CUNNINGHAM will assume the management of our business, and sign the Firm.
DOBIE & Co.
Pagoda Anchorage, Foochow, 21st March, 1867. [3m 1097

NOTICE.
I HAVE from this date established myself at this Port as MERCHANT AND COMMISSION AGENT under the Style and Firm of REMEDIOS & Co.
J. A. DOS REMEDIOS.
tf 927 Hongkong, 15th April, 1867.

THE Undersigned has this day retired from his Business of MARINE SURVEYOR for Hongkong and Whampoa, in favor of Messrs. VINCENT & CAIRNS.
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WITH reference to the above, the business hitherto carried on by G. H. HEATON, Esq., at Hongkong and Whampoa, will be continued by the Undersigned.
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Hongkong, 1st April, 1867. [tf 866

NOTICE.
MR. WARREN DELANO, JR., and Mr. HENRY S. GREY, have RETIRED from our firm their interest and responsibility CEASING on this day.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 172 China, 1st January, 1867. J-15

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RUSSELL & Co.
tf 173 China, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE Partnership hitherto existing between ROBERT SAYLE, of Cambridge, England, and THOMAS PEACOCK, of Hongkong, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent on November 15th 1866.
ROBERT SAYLE.
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tf 550 Hongkong, 28th February, 1867.

THE Business will be carried on in future under the style and name of SAYLE & Co. Mr. W. J. SIBERY is authorised to sign the firm per procuration.
tf 551 Hongkong, 28th February, 1867.

THE interest and responsibility in our firm of Mr. W. G. SCHWERTZ VAN REEEMA ceased yesterday, and Mr. THEODOR PROBST, who held the power to sign our firm since 1862, has this day been admitted a partner.
Our firm now consists of Mr. W. PUSTAU, Mr. W. PROBST, Mr. J. MENKE, and Mr. THEODOR PROBST; Mr. O. C. BEHN and Mr. JOHN F. CORDES are authorized to sign the same per procuration from this date.
WM. PUSTAU & Co.
6m 14 China, 1st January, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE authorized Mr. W. DETMERING to sign my firm per procuration, during my absence from this colony.
C. W. HARTMANN.
tf 750 Hongkong, 25th March, 1867.

MR. WALTER HYDE NOYLEY, will sign our firm on and after this date.
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tf 563 Hongkong, 1st March, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between Messrs. JOSEPH OXFORD, HENRY DANIELS, JACOB ARNHOLD and ALEXANDER COSMAN LEVYSOHN has this day been DISSOLVED by mutual consent.
Outstanding accounts will be settled by either of the partners, who will henceforth sign the firm in liquidation.
OXFORD & Co.
Hongkong and China, 11th September, 1866. tf 1096

WITH reference to the above, the business hitherto carried on by Messrs. OXFORD & Co., at Hongkong and Canton, will be continued by the Undersigned, who have this day established themselves as Merchants and Commission Agents, under the firm of
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
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tf 1097 Hongkong, 11th September, 1866.

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TURNER & Co.
tf 18 Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

THE Business hitherto carried on by the Undersigned will from this date be conducted under the name and style of J. J. DOS REMEDIOS & Co., Mr. ALEXANDER ANTONIO DOS REMEDIOS and Mr. HERMENEGILDO ANTONIO LEIRIA have been authorised to sign the firm per procuration.
J. J. DOS REMEDIOS.
tf 363 Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

WE HAVE this day established a BRANCH of our firm in Hongkong under the management of Monsieur V. LABOISIER, who will sign our name by procuration.
F. & P. DERODE FRERES.
Lille, Paris, le Havre.
Hongkong, 14, Stanley Street.
6m 3 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1867.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself in business as MERCHANT AND COMMISSION AGENT, under the style or firm of LADD & Co.
JOHN H. LADD.
tf 912 Hongkong, 7th May, 1866.

NOTICE.
MR. JOHN SMEDLEY has been admitted a Partner in our Firm from this date, which will in future be carried on as
STOREY, SON & SMEDLEY
Architects, Surveyors and Civil Engineers.
STOREY & SON.
tf 804 Hongkong, 1st April, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE Partnership in KWONG-SHEW-LOONG, as Cotton Piece Goods Dealers, in *Jervois Street*, consisted of AU-YU-SUN-TONG, LEE-PO-SING, LU-WAH and YEONG-SHEONG-TSUN.
In April, 1867, all accounts had been settled, and it was found that the business suffered great loss; in consequence of LU-WAH and YEONG-SHEONG-TSUN being not able to make up the loss, they have willingly withdrawn their respective shares from the said business. Now all the STOCK-IN-TRADE, FURNITURES and DEBTS due to the Shop are come to the possession of AU-YU-SUN-TONG and LEE-PO-SING, who will carry on the business under the name of KWONG-SHEW-LOONG-TOONG-KEE.
Hence the business, whether successful or failing, comes nothing to LU-WAH and YEONG-SHEONG-TSUN; and should LU-WAH and YEONG-SHEONG-TSUN incur any Debt or Debts, it is also no concern with
KWONG-SHEW-LOONG-TOONG-KEE.
2m 1032 Hongkong, 4th May, 1867.

THE business of Messrs. JOHN FORBES and Co., Public Tea Inspectors and Commission Agents, at this Port, has been transferred to the undersigned, who will continue the same in his own name from this date.
EDWARD W. LOVELL.
tf 1206 Kiukiang, May 1st, 1866. [J11

WE HAVE established a branch of our Firm in Hongkong under the management of Mr. G. DENIS.
DENIS FRERES.
Office, Gage Street, No. 9.
Saigon, 1st April, 1867. [3m 883

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
THE Firm of JAMSETJEE NUSSERWANJEE & Co. being now under liquidation, parties having Claims against it are hereby requested to send particulars within fifteen days from this date to us.
JAMSETJEE NUSSERWANJEE & Co.
15d 1301 Hongkong, 1st June, 1867.

NOTICE.
WITH reference to the above, Mr. D. C. TATA will henceforth sign the Firm in liquidation.
JAMSETJEE NUSSERWANJEE & Co.
15d 1302 Hongkong, 1st June, 1867.

MR. ALEXANDER MORRISON is authorised to sign our Firm from this date.
JOHN BLACH & Co.
tf 931 Hongkong, 22nd April, 1867.

I HAVE this day established myself at Hankow as a PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, under the firm of ALEX. DOWNIE & Co.
ALEX. DOWNIE.
tf 600 Hankow, 15th March, 1866.

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility of Mr. A. R. CASE in our firm CEASED to-day.
CASE & CO.
tf 359 Nagasaki, 1st January, 1867. F.6

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SINGAPORE, AND CALCUTTA.
THE British Steamship
"ARMENIAN,"
Captain Harris, will be dispatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 8th instant, at 4 P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
3d 1347 Hongkong, 6th June, 1867.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.
THE Steamship
"YESSO,"
Captain Ashton, will have immediate dispatch for the above Ports.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DENT & Co.
tf 1338 Hongkong, 6th June, 1867.

STEAM TO
SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.
THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
"NIPHON,"
will leave for the above Places, TO-MORROW, the 8th Instant, at Noon.
W. R. DALZIEL, *Act. Superintendent.*
tf 1333 Hongkong, 5th June, 1867.

STEAM TO
SHANGHAI,
(Taking Cargo for Yokohama and Nagasaki.)
THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
"MALACCA,"
will have immediate dispatch for the above Ports.
W. R. DALZIEL, *Act. Superintendent.*
tf 1334 Hongkong, 5th June, 1867.

FOR SHANGHAI.
THE Steamship
"SUWONADA,"
will have quick dispatch for the above Port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 1324 Hongkong, 4th June, 1867.

FOR MANILA.
THE Spanish barque
"SANTA LUCIA,"
Captain Lopez y Benache, of 385 Tons Register, will have immediate dispatch as above.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
EDOUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.
tf 1318 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1867.

FOR MANILA. *(direct.)*
THE A 1 Spanish barque
"CONCHITA,"
will have immediate dispatch for the above Port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
REMEDIOS & Co.
1w 1314 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1867.

FOR YOKOHAMA.
THE First-class British ship
"NEPTUNE,"
Captain Thompson, will meet with quick dispatch, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged.
For Freight, apply to
WM. PUSTAU & Co.
tf 1300 Hongkong, 1st June, 1867.

STEAM TO
SINGAPORE, GALLE, AND BOMBAY.
THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
"NORNA,"
will leave for the above places on or about the 10th instant.
W. R. DALZIEL, *Act. Superintendent.*
tf 1293 Hongkong, 31st May, 1867.

FOR LONDON.
THE A 1 14 years' British Clipper ship
"PAKWAN,"
Captain Shiell, will load here and at Whampoa for the above Port, and will meet with immediate dispatch.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1279 Hongkong, 30th May, 1867.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.
THE British ship
"EARLY MORN,"
Captain Mott, will load here for the above Ports and meet with quick dispatch.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1280 Hongkong, 30th May, 1867.

FOR LONDON.
THE A 1 British barque
"PASSE PARTOUT,"
having most of her Cargo engaged, will load at Hongkong and Whampoa for the above Port, and will have immediate dispatch.
For Freight, apply to
THOMAS & MERCER, Canton,
Or to the Undersigned,
THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.
tf 1274 Hongkong, 29th May, 1867.

FOR NAGASAKI.
THE A 1 French barque
"YVONNE,"
Captain Blanchard, will meet with an early dispatch for the above Port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
ED. ESTARICO,
Care of Messrs. C. DUBOST & Co.
tf 1249 Hongkong, 25th May, 1867.

FOR LONDON.
THE A 1 14 years' British Ship
"WEMYSS CASTLE,"
Nicoll, Master, of 700 tons Register, will load at Whampoa for the above port, and meet with quick dispatch, having part cargo engaged.
For freight, apply to
BIRLEY & Co.
1225 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1867.

FOR MANILA. *(Direct).*
THE Spanish brig
"SAN LORENZO,"
Lara, Master, will have quick dispatch as above.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
REMEDIOS & Co.
tf 1194 Hongkong, 20th May, 1867.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE British ship
"DAY DAWN,"
having a considerable portion of her Cargo engaged, will have quick dispatch and will be followed by the
"EMMA AUGUSTA."
For Freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 1154 Hongkong, 14th May, 1867.

FOR NEW YORK.
THE A 1 British barque
"ETHEL,"
Wylie, Master, having the greater part of her Cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampoa for the above Port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
OLYPHANT & Co.
tf 1071 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

Vessels Loading.

DESTINATION	VESSEL'S NAME	CAPTAIN	AT	FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO	TO BE DISPATCHED
LONDON	Wemyss Castle	Nicoll	Whampoa	Birley & Co	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Pawnee	Shiell	Whampoa	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Passe Partout		Whampoa	Borneo Company, Limited	Quick dispatch.
NEW YORK	Ethel	Wylie	Whampoa	Olyphant & Co	Quick dispatch.
SAN FRANCISCO	Japara	Leverstein	Hongkong	Bosman & Co	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Day Dawn		Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Emma Augusta		Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co	Quick dispatch.
S'PORE, P'NANG & CALCUTTA	Early Morn	Mott	Hongkong	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Quick dispatch.
SINGAPORE AND CALCUTTA	Armenian (str.)	Harris	Hongkong	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Quick dispatch.
SINGAPORE &c	Norna (str.)		Hongkong	Gibb, Livingston & Co	To-morrow, at 4 P.M.
MANILA	San Lorenzo	Lara	Hongkong	P. & O. S. N. Co	On or about the 10th.
Do.	Santa Lucia	Lopez y Benache	Hongkong	Remedios & Co	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Conchita		Hongkong	Edouard Schellhass & Co	Quick dispatch.
NAGASAKI	Yvonne	Blanchard	Hongkong	Remedios & Co	Quick dispatch.
YOKOHAMA	Neptune	Thompson	Hongkong	Ed. Estarico	Quick dispatch.
SHANGHAI	Suwonada (str.)		Hongkong	Wm. Pustau & Co	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Yung-hai-un (str.)		Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Malacca (str.)		Hongkong	Russell & Co	To-day, at 4 P.M.
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW	Niphon (str.)		Hongkong	P. & O. S. N. Co	Quick dispatch.
Do. Do.	Yesso (str.)	Ashton	Hongkong	P. & O. S. N. Co	To-morrow, at Noon.
			Hongkong	Dent & Co	Quick dispatch.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE A 1 Dutch Clipper barque
"JAPARA,"
630 Tons Register, Leverstein, Master, will have quick dispatch for the above Port.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BOSMAN & Co.
tf 1038 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

For Freight or Charter.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
THE First-class French ship
"ST. VINCENT DE PAUL,"
Guerin, Master, of about 24,000 Piculs carrying capacity.
Apply to F. DEGENNAER,
3, d'Aguilar Street.
tf 1257 Hongkong, 27th May, 1867.

For Sale.

PER STEAMER *AJAX.*
Just received.
BUTTER,
75 CENTS per lb., in Jars containing each 5, 8 Pounds. 12
C. DUBOST & Co.
1m 1327 Hongkong, 4th June, 1867.

FOR SALE.
THE British Clipper-ship *JULIA*, 624 Tons burthen, built by HALL, of Aberdeen.
For particulars, apply to Captain FORMAN on board, or to
THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.
7d 1330 Hongkong, 5th June, 1867.

PER STEAMER *AJAX.*
300 CASES Breakfast CLARET, Mèdoc, $3 per dozen. Apply to
C. DUBOST & Co.
1m 1331 Hongkong, 5th June, 1867.

PER STEAMER *AJAX.*
100 CASES Breakfast CLARET, St. Estèphe, $5 per dozen. Apply to
C. DUBOST & Co.
1m 1392 Hongkong, 5th June, 1867.

FOR SALE.
A SOLID MAHOGANY GRAND PIANO, Seven Octaves, Trichord, Manufactured by COLLARD AND COLLARD, expressly for this climate, with all the latest improvements, in first-rate order.
For particulars, apply to
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
tf 1223 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
BREAKFAST, Dinner, and Dessert CLARETS, guaranteed sound, from $4 to $15 per dozen; to purchasers of 25 dozen and upwards, liberal allowance will be made.
SELTZER WATER.
RHENISH WINES, of different Vintages, from $5.50 to $27 per dozen.
RED HUNGARIAN WINES, in 4 dozen Cases at $4.50 per dozen. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1063 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
CARTRIDGES for Enfield RIFLES. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1054 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
(Received direct from Portugal.)
VERY Choice unadulterated PORT WINE, chiefly adapted for Invalids.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1065 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
OCTOBER BREWINGS.
Just Landed.
BASS & Co.'s PALE ALE, in Hogsheads and Kilderkins.
Barclay and Perkin's STOUT, in Wood.
Jeffrie's Edinburgh BITTER PALE ALE, in Hogsheads.
Best Jamaica RUM, in Hogsheads.
BASS'S PALE ALE, in Quarts and Pints.
PENNENT'S do. do. do.
GUINNESS' STOUT, Dublin, bottled, by Burke, in Quarts and Pints.
Good DINNER SHERRY, from $6 per dozen and upwards.
HENNESSY'S PALE OLD BRANDY.
GINGER WINE. GINGER BRANDY.
KINAHAN'S *LL* IRISH WHISKEY.
Best Islay WHISKEY.
500 Drums HUBBACK'S Pale Boiled LINSEED OIL in 5 Gals.
100 Drums HUBBACK'S RAW OIL.
5 Tons HUBBACK'S Best White ZINC.
5 Do. do. Black PAINT.
HUBBACK'S RED LEAD, Green, Yellow and Brown PAINT, Prussian Blue.
PEACOCK'S Patent Composition.
MACKILLOP'S do. do.
GALVANISED WIRE ROPE.
THIMBLES, HANKS, SHACKLES, &c., &c., at
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1067 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
(By late arrivals.)
POMERANIAN GOOSEBREASTS.
WESTPHALIA HAMS, YORK HAMS.
WILTSHIRE CHEESES.
GRUERE CHEESE.
FINEST FRENCH CHOCOLATE.
ASSORTED FRENCH CONFECTIONERY.
MACCARONI & VERMICELLI, of superior quality in tins.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1062 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
HUNTLEY and PALMER'S DESSERT BISCUITS. At
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1092 Hongkong, 4th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
SPARKLING MOSELLE.
SPARKLING HOCK.
Eugene Cliquot's CHAMPAGNE, in Quarts and Pints.
CARTE BLANCHE, in Half Pints.
A. Collin's BOUZY MOUSSEUX and CABINET, in Quarts and Pints.
LOUIS ROEDERER, in Quarts.
SAUTERNE and BARSAC.
CHATEAUX D'YQUEM.
French COGNAC, fine CHAMPAGNE, superior quality.
MARASCHINO DE ZARA.
Wynaud and Fokink's Dutch CURACOA.
Garnier's Genuine CHARTREUSSE.
Assorted LIQUEURS.
Assorted French STRUPS.
RASPBERRY VINEGAR.
At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1061 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
ALEX. BOYER, has just received by the Steamer *Ottawa*, a large selection of
LADIES' STRAW HATS.
CHILDREN'S STRAW HATS.
tf 877 Hongkong, 10th April, 1867.

EX *PAKWAN.*
GENTLEMEN'S Sealskin WALKING BOOTS, Christy's HATS, Farina's EAU de COLOGNE, Hendrie's PERFUMERY, Pear's SOAPS, Gosnell's BRUSHES, Ross's TELESCOPES; also, Linen and Gauze SHIRTS, Paper and Linen COLLARS, an assortment of Damask Table Linen, Muquitoe Net, Ladies' Summer DRESSES, MUSLINS, LACES, BELTS, &c., &c.
S. W. BAKER & Co.
2w 1318 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1867.

For Sale

SAYLE & Co.,
(LATE SAYLE, PEACOCK & Co.)
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
Beg to announce that another West-end Cutter has arrived by last mail. Gentlemen may now ensure their orders being executed in the shortest possible time.
A PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED.
This department is unusually well supplied with
FANCY TROWSERINGS, TWEEDS.
FANCY FLANNELS,
WHITE AND COLORED DRILLS,
VESTINGS,
BLACK AND COLORED ALPACCAS, AND CASHMERES.
BLACK, BLUE, AND MILITARY BROAD CLOTHS,
GOLD AND SILVER LACES, BADGES, &c.
COTTON, LISLE, & SILK SOCKS.
SILK, SILK AND WOOL, AND GAUZE MERINO UNDERSHIRTS & PANTS.
WOOL and SILK and WOOL PAJAMAS.
LONG CLOTH & CRIMEAN SHIRTS.
SILK AND CAMBRIC POCKET HANDKERCHIEFS.
SCARVES, TIES, AND COLLARS.
STICKS AND SILK UMBRELLAS.
SOAP, PERFUMERY, BRUSHES, &c., &c.
DAMASK CLOTHS AND NAPKINS
all sizes.
COTTON AND LINEN SHEETINGS, in every width.
HUCKABACK & TURKISH TOWELS.
HOUSEHOLD LINENS
of every description.
MUSLIN and LACE WINDOW CURTAINS.
PRINTED AND EMBROIDERED TABLE COVERS AND BAIZES OIL-CLOTHS.
AMERICAN LEATHERS, in small Colours.
LEATHER BAGS AND PORTFOLIOS.
Ex *John Milton*, just arrived.
GENTS' DRAB SHELL HATS.
GENTLEMENS' BLACK DRESS HATS
BLACK AND DRAB FELT HATS, new shapes.
TUSCAN AND STRAW HATS.
TWEED & CLOTH TRAVELLING HATS, AND BOOTOR CAPS, &c.
tf 1241 Hongkong, 24th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex *Pakwan* and *Burdoan.*
HANDSOME DESSERT SETS.
Bronzed TABLE and Hanging LAMPS.
Hubbuck's PAINTS.
Bass's ALE, in Quart and Pint Bottles.
BOWRA & Co.
2w 1275 Hongkong, 29th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex Late Arrivals.
GENUINE Havana CIGARS.
Cavendish TOBACCO.
Fancy Stone and Bright Metal TOBACCO POTS.
BOWRA & Co.
2w 1276 Hongkong, 29th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
THOS. BEAR'S CUT TOBACCO, Consisting of the following kinds, viz:—
BIRD'S EYE.
SMOKING MIXTURE.
LATAKIA.
HAVANA.
TURKEY.
SHAG.
BOWRA & Co.
Sole Agents at Hongkong for Thos. Bear.
2w 1277 Hongkong, 29th May, 1867.

TO YACHTSMEN.
FOR SALE, the well-known Clipper Yacht "*LURLINE*," well found in every respect, and considered one of the fastest vessels of her class afloat. Apply to
BOWRA & Co.
tf 1255 Hongkong, 27th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
1,000 TONS Newport WELSH COAL.
1,000 tons WEST HARTLEY ENGLISH COAL.
Ex Ship or in Godown.
Apply to MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.
tf 1192 Hongkong, 14th July, 1866.

FOR SALE.
A FEW THOUSAND very choice HAVANA CIGARS, just received in boxes of 100 each.
PHILIP K. DUMARESQ.
No. 15, *Praya.*
tf 1232 Hongkong, 21st May, 1867.

DUTCH HERRINGS, $1 per dozen.
CREMER & Co.,
No. 1, Stanley Street.
tf 1171 Hongkong, 10th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
A FEW CASES of *Messrs. R. Headley & Son's* SHERRY, just received.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 399 Hongkong, 11th February, 1867.

J. AND R. TENNENT'S ALE and PORTER.
DAVID CORSAR & SONS'
Merchant Navy
Navy Boiled
Long Flax
Crown
CANVAS.
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
tf 1130 Hongkong, 11th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex John Milton.
LONDON STOUT, in Kilderkins. Apply to
HOWARD HODGES,
At Messrs. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 1258 Hongkong, 27th May, 1867.

FOR SALE.
Ex Late Arrivals.
MAST, YARD, and BOWSPRIT PIECES, from 30 inches down.
Small SPARS, from 12 to 5 inches.
OREGON PINE PLANK, of various thickness.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
tf 1013 Hongkong, 27th April, 1867.

FOR SALE.
YELLOW Metal, 18 to 28 oz., Muntz and Vivian's
JOHN BURD & Co.
tf 670 Hongkong, 6th April, 1866.

FOR SALE.
ABOUT 750 Tons of LABUAN STEAM COAL. Apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1991 Hongkong, 13th September, 1866.

THATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases.
" SHERRY " 3 "
" PORT " 2 "
" CLARET " 1 "
BIRLEY & Co.

For Sale.

ALEX. BOYER,
HAS
JUST RECEIVED BY THE LAST FRENCH MAIL STEAMER.
A FINE assortment of FOULARDS for Summer.
White and Fancy BURNOUS for the approaching Season.
A very large Stock of French Printed MUSLINS.
A very large Stock of French ORGANDIS.
A very large Stock of French PERCALE and JACONET.
French CORSETS.
Fancy SKIRTS in all the latest patterns.
A carefully selected lot of the newest designs in Ladies' BELT BUCKLES and BELT RIBBONS.
White Kid and Lisle Thread GLOVES.
Linen Pocket HANDKERCHIEFS.
A large lot of Crinoline SKIRTS of the latest Paris Fashion.
Christy's FELT HATS for Gentlemen, in all the new Shapes.
Ellwood's patent Air Chamber HELMETS and Shooting HATS.
All the newest Shapes in Gentlemen's COLLARS, White and Coloured.
Thread and Cotton SOCKS.
Silk UMBRELLAS.
Gentlemen's French-made SHIRTS.
DUCKS and DRILLS for Trousers.
Black Silk PARAMATTAS.
Black and Blue French MERINOS.
White French MADAPOLAMS.
Cotton and Linen SHEETINGS.
Turkish TOWELS.
Travelling TRUNKS, &c., &c., &c.,
Corner of Wellington & d'Aguilar Streets,
tf 847 Hongkong, 6th April 1867.

FOR SALE.
100 Barrels PRIME PORK. 100 Barrels MESS BEEF. Apply to
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
tf 59 Hongkong, 4th January, 1867.

FOR SALE.
A FEW CASES of *Adolphe Collet's* Bouzy Mousseux CHAMPAGNE, also a good selection of *L. Jaunay & Co's* Association Vintage de la CHAMPAGNE.
CLARET, Real Château Margaux.
HAUT BAGES.
LESPARRE DUROC.
Also
A quantity of IRON COLUMNS.
For particulars, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
tf 810 Hongkong, 8th March, 1867.

THE PROPRIETOR of the STAG HOTEL is prepared to supply Families and Messes with the undermentioned STORES, viz:—
Small YORK HAMS, at 40 cents per lb.
CHEDDAR CHEESE, about 9 lbs. each, at 40 cents per lb.
CHAMPAGNE, $12 to $18 per dozen.
Hennessy's BRANDY, at $10 per dozen.
SHERRY, at $9 to $12 per dozen.
PORT, at $9 to $12 per dozen.
Booth's OLD TOM, at $4 per dozen.
Bass's ALE, 4 dozen quarts, at $11.
Bass's ALE, 8 dozen pints, at $13.
PORTER, 4 dozen quarts, at $10.
PORTER, 8 dozen pints, at $12.
And other STORES at equally reasonable prices.
Arrangements have been made to have a constant and fresh supply of the above.
1m 1221 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1867.

NOTICE.
MÜLLER & CLAUSSEN beg to inform the Public that, in compliance with numerous applications and the requirements of the times, they have succeeded in obtaining an EMINENT LONDON CUTTER, whom they hope to will give general satisfaction both in style and fit.
They also invite attention to their entire new Stock of English WOOLLEN GOODS suited to the coming Season.
European Tailors and Machine Hands kept on the Premises.
tf 681 Hongkong, 14th March, 1867.

FOR SALE.
FIRST Class Rangoon TEAK PLANKS of Sizes. Apply to
P. & A. C. CAMAJISE & Co.
tf 1606 Hongkong, 27th July 1866.

THE Undersigned begs to tender his sincere thanks to his Friends and the Residents of this Colony for the very liberal support they have given him since he commenced Business; and begs to state that, as he has removed to more Commodious Premises, and secured the services of an experienced European Plumber and Gasfitter, he is prepared to execute work with greater facility than heretofore; and trusts they will still favor him with that support hitherto enjoyed.
ANDREW MILLAR.
Plumber and Gasfitter,
1, *Queen's Road East.*

EX "*BLACK PRINCE*"
A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF the following:—
HOUSE and SHIP WATER CLOSETS.
WASH-HAND BASINS.
URINALS.
"LIFT-AND-FORCE" PUMPS.
PATENT COCKS.
HIGH PRESSURE COCKS.
THREE-WAY BATH COCKS.
WASH-HAND BASIN COCKS, (Electro-plated) for Hot and Cold Water supplies.
PATENT FILTERS, for connecting to House supplies from main.
BELL FITTINGS.
WATER and TALLOW SYRINGES, for MARINE ENGINE use.
WATER and STEAM FITTINGS, of every description.
SHEET LEAD and LEAD PIPE of all sizes.
THE TRADE SUPPLIED.
ANDREW MILLAR.
House and ship Plumber,
1, *Queen's Road East.*
tf 770 Hongkong, 27th March, 1867.

RECEIVED BY LAST MAIL.
RACE GLASSES.
A Fine assortment of Superior JEWELLERY for Ladies and Gentlemen, by *Wolstan and Mathews, and Peale*, London.
C. HOCHSTETTER,
Queen's Road.
tf 272 Hongkong, 10th February, 1867.

FOR SALE.
At the East Point Machine Shop and Boiler Works.
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Extracts.

The "Dunderberg."

While we have been discussing the possibility of handling heavy ordnance in broadside, and experimenting with various mechanical devices for working 9-inch guns, suggested by naval commanders, amateur engineers, and artillery officers, the Americans have left the solution of the problem to an experienced engineer. Consequently they have got the start of us, and already mounted their ponderous 15-inch guns in broadside. Although it is our intention, on the present occasion, only to describe the means adopted for working the 15-inch gun in broadside, we cannot omit to call our readers' attention to the vast proportions of the battery of the huge *Dunderberg*, nor can we omit to direct their attention to the form of this unequalled battery. It resembles a citadel with the guns pointing in all directions. There are twelve broadside guns and five guns at each end of the ship, pointing out only fore and aft, but diagonally, as will be seen by the distant ports represented in the transverse section of the battery. Our readers cannot fail to notice that, owing to the extraordinary capacity of the battery, the gun-deck being nearly 70 feet wide, the enormous guns—124 feet round the breech—appear to be but little above the ordinary size. The point that will probably first arrest the attention of the professional observer is the "fighting-bolt," which secures the slides to the bulwark. This bolt, it will be seen, is so located that the upward prolongation of its centre line passes through the centre of the bulwark. Consequently the width of the port, in the middle is very little more than the diameter of the chases of the gun, although its angular movement during training is 58 deg. Some idea may be formed of the strength and proportions of the mechanism employed in working the 15-in. gun when we state that the fighting-bolt is 6in. in diameter, made of wrought-iron, with a thin coating of composition metal to prevent corrosion. It is held by a forging rivetted to the underside of the bottom plate of the port, and by a socket inserted in the deck and stringers. The simplicity and strength of the slide merit special attention. Unlike our slides, which are composed of a number of plates and angle irons, it is formed of two single bars of wrought iron 4in. thick and 10in. deep, provided with solid lugs near the ends slotted out to receive the conical friction rollers. These bars are held together by cross pieces, as shown on the engraving, the forward one being provided with a nose-piece, through which the fighting-bolt passes. It will be observed that the rear ends of the bars are bent upwards in order to afford support for cushions, against which the carriage may strike in cases of neglect or accident to the friction gear. Naval engineers will not fail to notice this expedient, the only adequate one we have seen, for stopping a 20-ton gun which chances to recoil unshacked under a 70 lb. charge. We need hardly point to the fact that the cushion is placed in a line with the middle of the trunnion and in line with the side of the carriage, where it presents the greatest strength. The main feature, however, of the arrangement is the rotary compressor by which the recoil is regulated and checked. This remarkable mechanical device dispenses with the labour of tightening and relieving the compressor at each discharge of the gun. The compressor being once screwed up or tightened, to suit any required charge of powder or extent of recoil, the gunner has merely to drop a handle before firing, and raise the same before rolling out the gun. The former of these simple operations connects the carriage with the compressor, while the latter effects a detachment which enables the gunner to roll the carriage freely along the slide. Our naval authorities will do well to adopt this simple device for saving labour and time, which at the same time, renders it not only possible, but easy, to work guns of any weight during the heaviest rolling, since the mere dropping of the check-handle absolutely locks the carriage on the slide. The mechanism adopted for connecting the slide and the carriage, it should be remembered, is of a most reliable character, consisting of two wrought iron pinions attached to the carriage, working into corresponding racks also composed of wrought iron attached to the slide. But the naval artillerist well knows that the working the gun on the slides, and the regulating and checking the recoil, although successfully accomplished, by no means present a complete solution of the problem how to operate heavy ordnance in broadside. The training of a 20-ton gun with steadiness and security while the ship rolls some 15 or 20 degrees may be regarded as a task nearly as difficult, more particularly if the condition be coupled with it of dispensing with men at the rear of the slides. The means adopted by Ericsson for effecting this object and complying with the stated condition on board of the *Dunderberg* are shown modestly on the engraving as to require but a brief description. A winch, with handles in opposite directions, is placed half-way between the ports. By means of two sets of cog-wheels and a rack connected by a joint to the slides, the turning of the winch enables the gunners to point the piece with great accuracy and steadiness, and to hold it in any position. The advantage of placing the training gear and the men between the ports out of danger from missiles entering through the port commends itself. Also the advantage of removing the training crew from the rear of the slides, as it enables the gunner more freely to sight and direct the training. We may add here that the *Dunderberg* is 380ft. long over all; 72ft 10in. wide, and 22ft. 7in. deep. Her displacement is 7,030 tons. She is propelled by a pair of engines having 100-in. cylinders, and 45-in. stroke, driving a 21-ft. propeller. The maximum speed on trial was 12½ knots an hour. The battery consists of four 15-in Rodman guns, and twelve 11-in. Rodmans. The side armour is nowhere 4in. thick, and that over the casemate is 4in. in thickness, which even with the inclination adopted, appears insufficient. Our own guns could readily penetrate this armour. —*Engineer.*

On Poetry.

Poetry, as we believe, preserves and purifies language, cultivates good taste, helps memory, fills the mind with fair images and high, unselfish thoughts, wonderously increases our perception and enjoyment of natural beauty, relieves the pain of our social lack of poetry of expression, shaping and bringing within compass multifarious thoughts and feelings, otherwise inexpressible. But the boon of poems, including all the rest, is the general enlargement, elevation, emancipation of the soul. Poetry universalizes. In its last result it is never despondent, but inspired with the loftiest joy and courage. It begins in the glad sense of universal beauty, and when it bestows the same glad sense upon its hearers, its result is accomplished. Here and there you find a short poem, exceptional, expressing a despondent mood, but the best poetry in its total effect is cheerful and encouraging. Even when it treats of sorrow, of pain, of death, it is sympathetic, but not despondent and gloomy. The very production of the exceptional sad poem indicates a degree of victory over the sadness. The "Iliad," treating much of war, wounds and violent death, is animated and exhilarating throughout; of Dante's great poem, the first part is most read. For its fierce picturesqueness and dreadful fascination, Milton accord is an ascending symphony of hopeful faith, and the third part a hymn of heavenly rapture. Chaucer is cheerful as the green hedgerows after a spring shower; Spenser full of rich vivacity and bold adventure; Shakespeare's books a multifarious world of marvellous and interest; nothing did Goethe so much abhor, in life and in literature, as despondency, discouragement. The poet, when he is most himself, rises to a high serene view. He will not exhibit grief, misery, horror, in isolated sharpness, and for the mere sensational effect; these must lose their harsh and painful prominence, and fall into place in a large and noble circle of ideas. The merely painful always marks as inferior the work in which it is found. Didactic poetry and doctrinal poetry are also inferior, so far as they are narrowed not merely by human but by particular limitations, concerned too much with certain people, opinions, circumstances, with the temporary and accidental. In the pure mountain air which blows over the realm of true poetry no mental epidemic can exist, or if it rises thither it melts away; fever of partizanship, itch of personality, ophthalmia of dogmatism, lie below with fog upon the marsh lands. Yet the poet escapes not the influence of his time; usually it affects him far too much. He is sensitive, sympathetic, enters easily into the feelings and opinions of others, but does not so easily escape again. He is apt to fall into sudden timidity in the midst of his boldest enterprises, apt to yield to the pressure of the hour. Also his delicate senses persuade him to luxury and sloth. His experience of the stupidity and the selfishness which have possession of so many human beings goads him sometimes into one or another form of cynicism. He may sometimes write below his own dignity and that of his art. But, remember, if he puts any evil here is not meant by evil what this person or that person may object to, but contradiction of his own better self, treason to humanity.—If he puts any wickedness into blasphemy, it is so much the less poetry. So far, it suffers loss of value and of rank. The external facts, persons and incidents connected with composition and publication are often ugly, nauseous, and warping. The ideal, the typical poet, has all but superhuman power of vision and of speech. But in the actual, every poet is very limited and imperfect. Even the great poets are faulty, full of faults and shortcomings. Each, limited already in his genius, is also limited from without, and does not do even as well as he might. On every side a dull and perverse world of persons and circumstances presses in upon his work.—*Fraser's Magazine.*

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tf 1202 Hongkong, 8th June, 1866.

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Hongkong, November, 1862.

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RUSSELL & Co.

tf 1022 Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

HAMBURG, BREMEN, FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are now authorized to accept assurance against Fire at Hongkong and at any of the open ports in China to the amount of Mexican $30,000 on one Risk.

WM. PUSTAU & Co., *Agents.*

Hongkong, 23rd March, 1864.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

REDUCTION OF RATES.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept short period risks at the following reduced scale, viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month ½ of the annual rate
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 " ¼ do. do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 " ⅜ do. do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding 12 " the annual rate.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

tf 1094 Hongkong, 8th August, 1866.

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above-named Company at Hongkong, are prepared to grant Policies, payable at any of the following Ports:—

London.	Madras.
Calcutta.	Melbourne.
Bombay.	The Cape.
Kurrachee.	Shanghai.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1863.

NORTHERN INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorised to present the following Rates of Premium for SHORT PERIOD RISKS on First-class Godowns and Goods stored therein.

For 1 month, ½ of Annual Rate.
For 3 months, ¾ do. do.
For 6 do. 1 do. do.
Above 6 months the full Annual Rates.

TURNER & Co.

tf 1769 Hongkong, 17th August, 1866.

THE SWISS LLOYD TRANSPORT INSURANCE COMPANY OF WINTERTHUR.

THE Undersigned having been appointed General Agents for China of the above-named Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES against Sea Risks on the usual terms.

MESSRS. HIESSEN & Co.

tf 252 Hongkong, 1st January, 1867. [J23

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES at the usual terms.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.

203 Hongkong, 4th November, 1864.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses, occupied from town, and their contents. } ½ per cent. per annum
Other dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents. } ¾ " "
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. } 1 " "

GILMAN & Co.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

tf 836 Hongkong, 10th March, 1865.

SUN FIRE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above office are prepared to grant Policies against Fire on the usual Terms and conditions. Risk will also be accepted at the following ports:—

Canton, by Messrs. DRACON & Co.
Macao, by R. L. DANCA, Esq.
Amoy, by Messrs. BOTH & Co.
Foochow, by Messrs. KINNEAR & Co.

Full particulars of Rates, &c., may be obtained on application to

ADAM SCOTT & Co., Agents.

tf 1033 Hongkong, 23rd May, 1866.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER, AND LONDON.

Capital—ONE MILLION STERLING.

THE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs. HOLLIDAY WISE & Co., as Agents for this Insurance at Hongkong, Shanghai, Ningpo, Hankow, and Foochow, who are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates, and of whom all needful information may be obtained.

By Order of the Board,

JAMES B. NORTHCOTT,
Secretary.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL Tls. 2,000,000,
in 400 Shares, of Tls. 5,000 each,
Paid-up Capital, Tls. 200,000.

Directors.

GEORGE TYSON, Esq., (Messrs. Russell & Co.)—*Chairman.*

J. H. BELL, Esq., (Messrs. W. R. Adamson & Co.)
F. POHTER, Esq., (Messrs. Gibb, Livingston & Co.)
J. THORNE, Esq., (Messrs. Thorne Bros. & Co.)
R. R. TYERS, Esq., (Messrs. Olyphant & Co.)
A. J. HOW, Esq., (Messrs. Johnson & Co.)

Agencies are established at the several ports of China and Japan.

L. JOSEPHS, *Secretary.*

Shanghai, 22nd August, 1864.

DE COSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong, for the above-named Companies, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual terms.

HIEMSSEN & Co.

tf 1476 Hongkong, 3rd August, 1866.

Insurances.

REDUCTION

IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to REDUCE rates for FIRE INSURANCE for SHORT PERIODS, as follows:—

On Policies not exceeding 1 month } from ¼ to ⅛ per cent.
On Policies not exceeding 3 months } from ⅜ to ¼ "
On Policies not exceeding 6 months } from ½ to ⅜ "

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

tf 1809 Hongkong, 22nd August, 1866.

LIVERPOOL, LONDON, AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz:—

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, and their contents. } ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents. } ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. } 1 per cent.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,
Agents Liverpool, London, and Globe Insurance Company.

tf 869 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE.

137, LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON.
JAMES HARTLEY & Co.—*Managers.*
ESTABLISHED 1843.

THE Undersigned is authorized to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers.

THOS. SUTHERLAND, *Agent.*

tf Hongkong, 17th March, 1863.

SHORT PERIOD RATES.

Not exceeding 1 month ½ of the annual rate.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 " ¼ do. do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 " ⅜ do. do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding 12 " the annual rate.

GILMAN & Co.
Agents, North British & Mercantile Insurance Company.

tf 1702 Hongkong, 9th August, 1866.

REDUCTION OF RATES.

SUN FIRE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept SHORT RISKS at the following Reduced Rates.—

Not exceeding 1 month ¼ per cent.
Above 1 month, but not exceeding 3 " ½ do.
Above 3 months but not exceeding 6 " ¾ do.
Above 6 months but not exceeding 12 " full annual rate.

ADAM SCOTT & Co., *Agents, Sun Fire Office.*

tf 1729 Hongkong, 13th August, 1866.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, and their contents. } ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents. } ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. } 1 per cent.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents, China Fire Insurance Company.

tf 873 Hongkong 8th March, 1865.

PHŒNIX ASSURANCE.

UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance viz:—

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, and their contents. } ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their contents. } ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. } 1 per cent.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
Agents Phœnix Assurance.

tf 870 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

Insurances.

REDUCTION

In the rates of premium for

FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the Royal Insurance Company to reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on private residences and on Furnitures and effects therein contained.

In cases of Dwelling Houses removed from the town the rate of premium will be three-quarters per cent. in place of one per cent. per annum as hitherto charged, and in cases of Residences so situated being detached or semi-detached the rate will be further reduced to one-half per cent.

The Royal's annual rates for Fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows until further notice, viz:—

Detached and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses (removed from the town) and their contents. } ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses (similarly situated) and their contents. } ¾ per cent.
Offices and Godowns and their contents. } 1 per cent.
First Class China Houses and their contents. } 1½ per cent.
Other Risks by Special arrangement.

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

tf 714 Hongkong, 9th November, 1866.

REDUCTION OF RATES.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept short period risks at the following reduced scale viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	¼ of the annual rate.	
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 months	⅜ "	do. do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months	½ "	do. do.
Above 6 months and not exceeding 12	the annual rate.	

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents, China Fire Insurance Company.

tf 1395 Hongkong, 8th August 1866.

NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Hongkong and Canton, and are prepared to grant Insurance Policies against Fire on brick and tiled Godowns, Dwelling Houses &c., and on Goods and other property stored therein.

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

tf 2814 Hongkong, 13th November, 1865.

DEPOTS of Labuan Coal have been established at the undermentioned Ports.

Swatow . . . Messrs. Bradley & Co.
Amoy . . . Messrs. Ellis & Co.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 2430 Labuan 1st August, 1865.

MRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, *Holywood Road*, next door to the HOTEL DE EUROPE.

tf 661 Hongkong, 13th March, 1867.

A CARD.

TH. H. ELMENHORST, JR. SHIPBROKER.

tf 2484 Hongkong, 12th November, 1866.

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tf 1120 Hongkong, 10th May, 1867.

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THE Public are particularly requested to observe, that each Bottle is encircled by a Label bearing the following words:—

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tf 1288 Hongkong, 30th May, 1867.

Business Announcements.

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No. 62, Gibb's Road Central.

THE Undersigned have much pleasure in announcing the opening of their PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY, on MONDAY next, April 8, 1867, and until further notice from 10 A.M. to 3 P.M.

To meet the wishes of the community generally, a Waiting Room has been furnished with every necessary requisite, consistent with a first class Establishment, including foreign and local papers.

A Glass Studio on a new and improved principle, has been constructed at a great expense, for the purpose of obtaining a better illumination, consequently, a rapid impression of the latent image and a more natural expression, which cannot be obtained by long sittings: the following inventions, will for the first time be introduced into this Colony, the MIRROR TYPE MEDALLIONS, ENAMELLED PROCESS, &c., &c.,

FLOYD & Co.,
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tf 820 Hongkong, 3rd April, 1867.

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3m 916 Hongkong, 15th April, 1866.

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TERMS MODERATE.

tf 1397 Hongkong, 1st June, 1867.

W. M. DOLAN,
SAIL MAKER, &c.,
Duddell Street,
Opposite the French Consulate.

tf 631 Hongkong, 3rd April, 1866.

GEORGE GLASSE,
ENGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST
VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
Pedder's Wharf,
HONGKONG.
SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS
SUPPLIED AND REFITTED.

tf 1050 Hongkong, 1st May, 1867.

DENTISTRY.

MR. J. S. BURLINGHAM, DENTIST,

No. 2, *Pedders Hill*, opposite ST. PAUL'S COLLEGE; or at the

HOTEL D'EUROPE.

tf 984 Hongkong, 24th April, 1867.

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ENDICOTT'S BAZAAR, No. 15. 大
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ly 1227 Hongkong, 13th June, 1866.

BOOKBINDING.

THE MANAGER of the *Daily Press* having PURCHASED all the MACHINERY and APPLIANCES for BOOKBINDING, formerly the property of Mr. AARON GINDEMI, will in future CARRY ON that BUSINESS on the premises of the *Daily Press* Office.

COMPETENT ASSISTANCE (including Mr. GINDEMI) has been engaged, and the necessary arrangements having been made, work can now be received.

All communications connected with the BOOK BINDING BUSINESS to be addressed to

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(J.H.